

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Nursing Education- M.Sc Nursing- implementation of uniform admission procedure for admissions into M.Sc. (N) courses– Notification – Issued.

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HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (K2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.271

dated 04-12-2009

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.257, M&H (F2) dated 24-4-1985
2. G.O.Ms.No.207, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dated 26-5-2006,
3. G.O.Ms.No.351, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.2-11-2007,
4. G.O.Ms.No.338, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.16-9-2008,
5. G.O.Ms.No.51, HM&FW (M2) Dept., dt.18-2-2009,
6. From the Registrar, Dr. NTR UHS, Vijayawada,  
Lr.No.1322/EA3/M.Sc. (N)/Adms/2009 , dt.17-4-2009.
7. From the Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad  
Lr.Rc.No.21208/NEA/2009, dt.21-6-2009.

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**ORDER:**

1. In the letter 6<sup>th</sup> read above, the Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada has reported that the Government have issued orders of three different admission procedures, in the GOs 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> read above for admissions into M.Sc. (N) courses, since inception of the course till the academic year 2008-09 and that the eligibility criteria is needed to be modified and to be issued in one common admission procedure for Service and Regular (Non-service) candidates to avoid interpretations and future legal complications in the admissions into the said course. Accordingly, he has submitted the proposal for issuance of orders of uniform admission procedure. The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad in the letter 7<sup>th</sup> read above has also endorsed the same as proposed by the University.
2. Government after careful examination of the matter has decided to accept the proposal of the Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences as recommended by the DME and accordingly hereby issue the following modified uniform admission procedure for admissions into M.Sc (Nursing) course from the academic year 2009-10 for both Service and Regular (Non-service) candidates in supersession of the orders issued in the G.Os 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> read above.
3. Accordingly the following notification shall be published in the Extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated 07-12-2009

**NOTIFICATION**

4. In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 99 of the Andhra Pradesh Education Act, 1982 (Act 1 of 1982) the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following revised admission procedure for admission into M.Sc. (Nursing) course:-

**A. Nationality and domicile:** The candidates should be Indian National and should satisfy local or the non-local status requirements as the case may be, as laid down in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974 as amended in G.O. (P) No.648, Education (W) Dept., dt.10-7-1979.

**B. Educational Qualification:** The candidate should have passed B.Sc. (Nursing) / B.Sc. Hons. (Nursing) / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing from an institution which is recognized by Indian Nursing Council with minimum of 55% aggregate marks and 5% relaxation of marks for SC and ST candidates.

**C. Age:** For both the Service and Non-Service candidate should not have completed 45 years of age as on 31<sup>st</sup> December of the year of admission. For candidates belonging to SC and STs the maximum age limit shall be 48 years.

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**D. Eligibility:**

- i) The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered Midwife of Indian Nursing Council for Service and Non-Service candidates.
- ii) Minimum one year of work experience after registration of B.Sc. (N) course for Non-Service candidates.
- iii) Minimum one year of work experience prior or after registration of post Basic B.Sc. (N) for Non-Service candidates.
- iv) Candidate shall be medically fit for service and Non-Service candidates.
- v) In respect of service candidates, should be an employee of the Govt. of A.P. and shall have put in not less than 5 years of service in any Dept. or Institution of the State Govt. in any capacity in Nursing.
- (vi) In the event of leaving the studies during the course period or in case of failure to serve the Government for (5) years after completion of the M.Sc. (Nursing) course, the service candidates shall pay an amount of Rs.2,00,000/- (Rupees two lakhs only) as against the existing amount of Rs.10,000/- besides refund of the amount received as salary upto the date to the Government.

**E. Selection Procedure**

- i). There shall be a Selection Committee (herein after called the Committee) appointed by the NTR University of Health Sciences for selection of candidates against competent authority seats basing purely on merit arrived at on the basis of marks obtained by the candidates in the concerned entrance examination.
- ii). Selection for the Management seats will be made by the management of the College or Institute as the case may be, as in the case of competent authority seats. Admission in so far as Management Quota are concerned the above seats shall be made after the list of the candidates verified by the said Selection Committee.
- iii). The maximum number of students to be admitted in a College or Institute shall not exceed 30 per year (including all specialties) or as may be specified by Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi or Government from time to time.

**F. Entrance Test:**

Must have secured not less than 45 marks in the Entrance Test. In case of SC and ST candidates, minimum marks shall be not less than 35 marks.

**G. Categorisation of seats:**

- i) Fifty percent (50%) of the total number of seats shall be set apart as "competent authority seats" and remaining fifty percent (50%) shall be called as management seats.
- ii) If sanctioned intake capacity is odd number, equal seats will go to the Management quota and competent authority quota and the odd seat will rotate between the Management quota and competent authority quota year after year.
- iii) The admission shall be completed on the prescribed date as stipulated by the Indian Nursing Council/Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.
- iv) The Committee after completion of the admission of the candidates selected by it shall direct the institutions to furnish the list of candidates admitted under both the categories i.e. competent authority seats and management seats to the University of Health Sciences. Issue of hall tickets for examination shall be limited to the number of students admitted according to the list so furnished.
- v) Fee for competent authority seats as well as Management seats shall be as fixed by the Fee Regulatory Committee from time to time.

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- vi) The quota for in-service candidates in M.Sc. (N) at Govt. College of Nursing, Hyderabad is 40% of intake i.e., 12 out of 30 seats. The selections shall be made by following the rule of reservation. However, the Presidential Order will not apply as it is a part time course and the existing procedure shall be followed as laid down in G.O.Ms.No.257, M&H (F2) Dept., dated 24-4-1985.
- (a) Out of the 12 seats, 1 seat shall be allocated to the candidates sponsored by Private organization / Govt. Institution in AP other than Andhra Pradesh Vaidya Vidhana Parishad / AP Medical & Health Services.
- (b) The remaining 18 seats in M.Sc. (N) course at Govt. College of Nursing, Hyderabad and the seats in private colleges shall be filled up with regular students duly following the rule of reservation and Presidential Order.

**H. Deputation:** Regular in service candidates of Medical and Health Department shall be on deputation.

**I. Bond to serve the Government:** All in-service candidates of Medical and Health Department on admission have to execute a bond on a Non-Judicial Stamp paper worth Rs.20/- (Rupees twenty only) embodying the conditions of training and agreeing to serve the State Government for a period of atleast 3 years on successful completion of the course, in any capacity as the government may consider suitable and in default they shall pay Rs.2,00,000/- lakhs.

**J. Finality of Selection:** All selections under these rules shall be subject to any general rules or orders that may be made by the Government from time to time.

6. The Registrar, Dr.NTR University of Health Sciences , Vijayawada / the Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.SATYANARAYANA  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada  
The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Principals of Govt Nursing Colleges(Thru' DME,AP,Hyd)

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Hyderabad

All Superintendents of Teaching Hospitals  
through Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad

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The OSD to Minister for Medical Education.

PS to Prl.Secy. to Govt., HM&FW Department

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